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Title: CHEMICAL REAGENTS CAPABLE OF SELECTIVE ATTACHMENT TO AND

REACTION WITH PEPTIDES AND PROTEINS

## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir

This is in response to the Office Action mailed from the PTO on April 15, 2009. Please amend the application as indicated herein.

The *Listing of the Claims* begins on page 2 of this document. Amendments to the claims are set forth therein. With this amendment, claims 1 and 19 are amended, and claims 3 and 24 are canceled.

Remarks are set forth on page 6 of this document.